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BEFORE THE ARIZONA MEDICAL BOARD

In the Matter of

SCOTT LUCAS, M.D.

Holder of License No. 30389 For the Practice of Allopathic Medicine

In the State of Arizona.

Case No. MD-08-1334

CONSENT AGREEMENT FOR PRACTICE LIMITATION

(NON-DISCIPLINARY)

CONSENT AGREEMENT

By mutual agreement and understanding, between the Executive Director of the Arizona Medical Board ("Board") and Scott Lucas, M.D. ("Physician") the parties agree to the following disposition of this matter.

- Physician has read and understands this Consent Agreement and the stipulated 1. Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order ("Consent Agreement"). Physician acknowledges that he understands he has the right to consult with legal counsel regarding this matter and has done so or chooses not to do so.
- 2. . Physician understands that by entering into this Consent Agreement he voluntarily relinquishes any rights to a hearing or judicial review in state or federal court, or to challenge this Consent Agreement in its entirety as issued by the Board, and waives any other cause of action related thereto or arising from said Consent Agreement.
 - 3. This Consent Agreement is not effective until signed by the Board.
- All admissions made by Physician are solely for final disposition of this matter and 4. any subsequent related administrative proceedings or civil litigation involving the Board and Physician. Therefore, said admissions by Physician are not intended or made for any other use, such as in the context of another state or federal government regulatory agency proceeding, civil or criminal court proceeding, in the State of Arizona or any other state or federal court.

- 5. Upon signing this Consent Agreement and returning this document (or a copy thereof) to the Board, Physician may not revoke acceptance of the Consent Agreement. Physician may not make any modifications to the Consent Agreement. Any modifications to this Consent Agreement are ineffective and void unless mutually approved by the parties.
- 6. This Consent Agreement, once approved and signed, is a public record that may be publicly disseminated as a formal *non-disciplinary* action of the Board.
- If any part of the Consent Agreement is later declared void or otherwise unenforceable, the remainder of the Consent Agreement in its entirety shall remain in force and effect.

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FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. The Board is the duly constituted authority for the regulation and control of the practice of allopathic medicine in the State of Arizona.
- 2. Physician is the holder of License No. 30389 for the practice of allopathic medicine in the State of Arizona.
- 3. Physician has recognized that he has a medical condition that may limit his ability to safely engage in the practice of medicine.
- 4. Because Physician has recognized that his medical condition may limit his ability to safely engage in the practice of medicine, the Board may enter into a consent agreement to ensure that Physician not practice medicine until he is recovered. A.R.S. § 32-1451(F); A.A.C. R4-16-509.
 - 5. There has been no finding of unprofessional conduct against Physician.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- 1. The Board possesses jurisdiction over the subject matter hereof and over Physician.
- 2. The Executive Director may enter into a consent agreement with a physician to limit or restrict the physician's practice or to rehabilitate the physician, protect the public and ensure the physician's ability to safely engage in the practice of medicine. A.R.S. § 32-1451(F); A.A.C. R4-16-509.

ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. Physician's practice is limited in that he shall not practice medicine in the State of Arizona and is prohibited from prescribing any form of treatment including prescription medications until Physician applies to the Board and receives permission to do so. The Board may require any combination of staff approved assessments, evaluations, treatments, examinations or interviews it finds necessary to assist in determining whether Physician is able to safely resume such practice.

1	2. The Board retains jurisdiction and may initiate an action based on any violation of
2	this Consent Agreement.
3	DATED this 19th day of Occumber, 2008.
4	ARIZONA MEDICAL BOARD
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6	By Made Dell LISA S. WYNN Executive Director
7	LISA S. WYNN Executive Director
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9	ORIGINAL of the foregoing filed this day of Occard, 2008, with:
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11	Arizona Medical Board 9545 East Doubletree Ranch Road
12	Scottsdale, Arizona 85258
13	EXECUTED COPY of the foregoing mailed by US Mail this 4 day of 10 to 2008, to:
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15	Scott Lucas, M.D. (Address øf record)
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